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MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
UTILITY DIVISION
AGENDA NO. 08-01-03

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Commission Meeting: January 3, 2008, 9:00 a.m.

General Introduction This agenda is the Commission's Utility Division agenda for the work week designated. In the latter part of each week (generally, Thursday by 2:00 p.m.) prior to the work week to which an agenda pertains, the agenda is posted on the public information bulletin board at the Commission offices, deposited in the mail directed to all persons who have properly requested notice by mail, emailed to all persons who have properly requested notice by email, and posted to the Public Service Commission's worldwide web site located at <http://www.psc.mt.gov>.

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9:00 a.m. Weekly Scheduling (Commission Conference Room – No Web Audio Feed)

9:30 a.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

Action Items All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

Work Sessions All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. Northern Tier Transmission Group (NTTG) Cost Allocation Committee – Appoint alternate staff member to serve on NTTG's Cost Allocation Committee. (1/3/08)
2. Colstrip Energy Limited Partnership (CELP) – Request for transcripts of certain work sessions – Consider and act on explanatory statement. (1/3/08)
3. N2007.10.114 – Energy Policy Act of 2005 – Standard Regarding Interconnection – Decide whether to accept or reject the Energy Policy Act of 2005 Interconnection Standard. (1/3/08)
4. D2007.12.147 – City of Great Falls, Benefis Healthcare System and Electric City Power, Inc. – Complaint and Request for Declaratory Ruling - Discuss procedure for complaint and request and provide direction to staff. (1/3/08)
5. Out of state staff travel – Act on 2 travel requests: (1) Northern Tier Transmission Group stakeholder meeting, Jan. 16-17, 2008, Portland, OR (Bryan Baldwin); and (2) NARUC Consumer Affairs Committee meeting, Feb. 17-20, 2008, Washington, DC, during the NARUC winter meetings (Phil Cooke). (1/3/08)

Other Meetings

Weekly Scheduling, Review of Monthly Calendars, and Docket Status Updates (if requested by a Commissioner).

Notice Items All items identified below are noticed for public participation purposes. Unless otherwise stated in the text of the notice, the items will be action items on the next following agenda or a subsequent agenda and participation may be had by submitting written comments to the Public Service Commission, 1701 Prospect Avenue, P.O. Box 202601, Helena, Montana, 59620-2601, within 5 calendar days following publication of this agenda. Public comments on a noticed matter may also be

submitted within the required time through the PSC's web-based comment form at <http://psc.mt.gov/Consumers/comments>. Comments should reference the docket number of the matter.

1. Verizon Business Services N2007.12.150 (Scott)

On December 19, 2007, Verizon filed Transmittal No. 07-08, Revisions to its Montana Price List Tariff. In this filing Verizon is requesting to Grandfather Verizon Business Service I, Verizon Business Service II, Verizon Business Service II Flex T1 Plus Plan, and Verizon Business Service I and Verizon Business Service II under US Private Line Service.

2. Verizon Business Services N2007.12.151 (Scott)

On December 19, 2007, Verizon filed Transmittal No. 07-09, Revisions to its Montana Tariff No. 2. In this filing Verizon is requesting to Grandfather Verizon Business Service I, Verizon Business Service II, Verizon Business Service II Flex T1 Plus Plan, and Verizon Business Service I and Verizon Business Service II under US Private Line Service.

Protective Orders – Notice Items The Commission has received the following requests for protective order pursuant to ARM 38.2.5007. The Commission will rule on the requests no earlier than 10 days after the publication date of this agenda. Comments on the requests may be submitted at any time prior to ruling. Any person wanting a copy of a protective order request should contact the Commission at (406) 444-6199.

1. Utility Solutions, LLC (USLLC) D2005.11.163 & D2005.11.164
(Al)

On December 14, 2007, USLLC filed a motion for protective order to govern access to certain confidential information that will be provided in response to data requests. Specifically, USLLC seeks protection of its partnership state tax returns for 2005 and 2006. USLLC asserts that tax returns will disclose the distribution of income to members of the limited liability company and that the members have subjective expectations of privacy with respect to their financial records.

Protective Orders – Information Items The Commission has issued the following protective orders. These orders may be challenged pursuant to ARM 38.2.5008. Copies of these orders may be obtained by calling the Commission at (406) 444-6199.

Information Items All items identified below are for information only.

New Filings Received in Past Week

D2007.12.148 – Nemont Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership dba Verizon Wireless – Application for Approval of Wireless Interconnection and Compensation Agreement

D2007.12.149 – CenturyTel of Montana, Inc. and Montanasky Networks, Inc. – Application for Approval of Interconnection Agreement

N2007.12.150 – MCI Communications, Inc. dba Verizon Business Services – Transmittal No. 07-08, Revisions to its Montana Price List Tariff

N2007.12.151 – MCI Communications Services, Inc. dba Verizon Business Services – Tariff Transmittal No. 07-09, Revisions to its Montana Tariff No. 2

D2007.12.152 – Two Dot Wind, LLC – Petition to Have Commission Set Contract Terms and Conditions Pursuant to MCA 69-3-603